

	<p>4.10 Any administration involved in this procedure may request the assistance of the Bureau in seeking agreement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) when there has been no reply or decision within four months; b) in applying any step of this procedure; c) in carrying out any technical study necessary for the application of this procedure. 	
	<p>4.11 If, following action by the Bureau in response to a request for assistance under No. 4.10, the Bureau receives no reply or decision within three months of its request for a decision in the matter from an administration whose agreement has been sought, the administration which requested the agreement shall be deemed to have fulfilled its obligations under this procedure. It shall also be deemed that the administration which did not give its decision has undertaken:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) that no complaint will be made in respect of harmful interference affecting the services rendered by its stations which may be caused by the use of the assignment in conformity with the proposed modification to the plan, and b) that its stations will not cause harmful interference to stations using the assignment in conformity with the proposed modification to the plan. 	
	<p>4.12 When the Bureau finds that this procedure has been concluded, either by obtaining the agreement of the administrations concerned or by the application of No. 4.11, the Bureau shall up-date the master copy of the plan. The new or modified entry in the plan shall then have the same status as others appearing in the plan and shall be considered as being in conformity with the plan.</p>	
	<p>4.13 If no agreement is reached between the administrations concerned the Bureau shall carry out any study that may be requested by those administrations. The Bureau shall inform them of the results and of any recommendations it may be able to offer for a solution of the problem.</p>	

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	4.14 In the case of continuing disagreement the Bureau shall undertake a technical study under the Rules of Procedure. In the event of a favourable conclusion the proposed modification shall be entered in the plan with the indication that it shall be taken into account in any subsequent modifications to the plan.	
	4.15 When a proposed modification to a plan involves developing countries, administrations shall seek all practicable solutions conducive to the economic development of the radiocommunications systems of those countries.	

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	ARTICLE S11				
	Notification and Recording of Frequency Assignments ^{1, 2}				
	Section I. Notification				
	1 A.S11.1 For the notification and recording of assignments in the following Regions and frequency bands see the appropriate appendices:				A.12.3, A.12.4
	Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Appendix	
	11.7 - 12.5 GHz	12.2 - 12.7 GHz	11.7 - 12.2 GHz	30	
	14.5 - 14.8 GHz	17.3 - 17.8 GHz	14.5 - 14.8 GHz	30A	
	17.3 - 18.1 GHz		17.3 - 17.8 GHz		
	All Regions	4 500 - 4 800 MHz	6 725 - 7 025 MHz	30B	
10.7 - 10.95 GHz	11.2 - 11.45 GHz	12.75 - 13.25 GHz			
	2 A.S11.2 See Resolution 46 (WARC-92).				A.12.5
	5.1 The expression "frequency assignment", wherever it appears in this Article, shall be understood to refer either to a new frequency assignment or to a change in an assignment already recorded in the Master Register.				RR Articles 12 and 13, Footnotes A.12.1 and A.13.1
	5.2 Any frequency assignment to a station for transmitting except for those mentioned in Nos. 5.5 and 5.6 shall be notified to the Bureau:				General statement on transmitting assignments; RR1214 and 1488
	a) if the use of that assignment is capable of causing harmful interference to any service of another administration; or				RR1215 and 1489
	b) if that assignment is to be used for international radiocommunication; or				RR1216 and 1490
	c) if that assignment is subject to a world or regional frequency allotment or assignment plan; or				New provision generalising the scope of RR1245

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	d) if that assignment is subject to the coordination procedure of Article S9 or is involved in such a case; or	New provision but see RR1060, 1107, 1148, 1494A-1494C and corresponding provisions in Resolution 46
	e) if it is desired to obtain for that assignment international recognition; or	RR1217 and 1491
	f) if it is a non-conforming assignment under No. 2.7 and if the administration desires to have it recorded for information.	New provision relating to RR342 assignments
	5.3 Similar notification shall be made of a frequency assignment to a receiving earth station or space station, or to a land station for reception from mobile stations, when:	General statement on receiving assignments; RR1219 and 1488
	a) any of the conditions in Nos. 5.2 b), c), d) or e) apply to the receiving station; or	For consistency with 5.2 b) - 5.2 e) above
	b) any of the conditions in No. 5.2 apply to the associated transmitting station.	For treatment as the reciprocal of a transmitting assignment
	5.4 Any frequency or frequency band to be used for reception by a particular radioastronomy station may be notified if it is desired that such data should be included in the Master Register.	RR1492
	5.5 Assignments involving specific frequencies which are prescribed by these Regulations for common use by stations of a given service shall not be notified. They shall be entered in the Master Register and a consolidated table shall also be published in the Preface to the International Frequency List (the IFL).	RR1220 and 2184
	5.6 Frequency assignments for ship stations and for mobile stations of other services, for stations in the amateur service, for earth stations in the amateur-satellite service, and those for broadcasting stations in the high frequency bands between 5 900 kHz and 26 100 kHz shall not be notified under this Article. For assignments to broadcasting stations in these bands see Article S12.	RR1214.2

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	5.7 When notifying a frequency assignment the administration ¹ shall provide the relevant characteristics listed in Appendix S4 and submit them in accordance with the practices recommended in the Rules of Procedure. Alternatively, if an administration has already communicated information to the Bureau under the procedure of Article S9, it may identify that communication as notification and send to the Bureau only the changes thereto.	RR1221, 1222, 1495; Resolution 46 No. 5.1; see also Appendix S4
	¹ 5.7.1 A frequency assignment to a space station may be notified by one administration acting on behalf of a group of named administrations. Any further notice (modification or deletion) relating to such an assignment shall, in the absence of information to the contrary, be regarded as having been submitted on behalf of the entire group.	RR1493
	5.8 When an administration in need of special assistance desires to seek the help of the Bureau in selecting frequencies for a station of the fixed service in the high frequency bands allocated to that service, it shall notify such characteristics as it is able from the table in Appendix S4 and shall state the specific assistance required from the Bureau. ² See also Resolution 103.	RR1218, 1218.1
	² 5.8.1 The Board shall include in the Rules of Procedure measures to provide on a priority basis the assistance requested under No. 5.8 leading to the recording in the Master Register of an assignment having the right under No. 2.2 to international protection from harmful interference.	RR1416

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	5.11 Notices relating to assignments for stations in space services, and for terrestrial stations involved in the coordination of a satellite network, shall reach the Bureau not earlier than three years before and not later than three months before the assignments are brought into use.	New provision based on RR1230, 1231, 1496 and 1497
	5.11bis Notices received by the Bureau after the applicable period specified in Nos. 5.10 or 5.11 shall, where they are to be recorded, bear a remark in the Master Register to indicate they are not in conformity with Nos. 5.10 or 5.11. However, no such remarks shall be entered in the case of terrestrial assignments notified under No. 3.28.	
	Section II. Examination of Notices and Recording of Frequency Assignments in the Master Register	
	5.12 Notices which are found to be incomplete shall be returned with comments to help the notifying administration to complete and submit them again.	RR1234 and 1498
	5.13 Notices which, following the application of the Rules of Procedure, are found to be complete shall be marked by the Bureau with their date of receipt and shall, except for those mentioned in No. 5.8, be examined in the date order of their receipt. On receipt of a complete notice the Bureau shall publish its contents, with any diagrams and maps and the date of receipt, in the Weekly Circular which shall constitute the acknowledgement to the notifying administration of receipt of its notice.	RR1235, 1236, 1238 and 1499, 1500
	5.14 The Bureau shall not postpone the formulation of a finding on a complete notice unless it lacks sufficient data to reach a conclusion thereon. Moreover, the Bureau shall not act upon any notice having a technical bearing on an earlier notice which is still under consideration by the Bureau until it has reached a finding with respect to the earlier notice. ^{VGE Note 10}	RR1238 and 1501

VGE Note 10 WRC-95 may wish to consider possible modification to provisions Nos. 5.14 (RR1238) and 5.25 (RR1380 and RR1551) on the grounds that the delayed resubmission of a returned notice generates chain-reaction effects which can seriously affect the interests of administrations whose notices follow the returned notice. In the present texts the two-year maximum period is proposed to be reduced to six months to minimize the adverse effects.

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	5.15 Each notice shall be examined:	General statement RR1239, 1351 and 1502 RR1241 and RR1242 relating to technical examination have not been retained
	a) with respect to its conformity with the Table of Frequency Allocations and the associated provisions ^{VGE Note 2} of these Regulations except those relating to conformity with the procedures for obtaining coordination or agreement, or those relating to conformity with a plan; and as appropriate; ¹	RR1240, 1352, 1503, etc.
	¹ 5.15 a) 1. Conformity with the Table of Frequency Allocations implies the successful application of No. 3.4 o), when it applies to a footnote to the Table of Frequency Allocations (see also No. 3.40.1).	RR1503.1; the Bureau's action in cases where the agreement of several administrations is required, is covered by the current Rules of Procedure on Article 14
	b) with respect to its conformity with the procedures relating to coordination or agreement with other administrations applicable to the radiocommunication service and the frequency band concerned; or	RR 1353, 1504 and 1505

VGE Note 2 Difficulties have arisen from the absence of a precise definition of the term "associated provisions". For the purposes of the Simplified Procedures the VGE has continued to use this term but recognises that it must be identified definitively, that it will be for the Bureau to do so, and that the identification must be reflected in a development of the Rules of Procedure to be processed in accordance with Section III of Article S13 of the Simplified Procedures. The WRC-95 may wish to give a specific instruction to the Bureau on this point.

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	c) with respect to the probability of harmful interference that may be caused to or from other recorded assignments in respect of which the procedure for coordination or prior agreement could not be successfully completed (see also No. 3.40); ^{1, 2} or	New provision based on RR1354, 1506 and 1509
	¹ 5.15 c) 1. The examination of such a notice with respect to any other frequency assignment for which a request for coordination under 3.4 a) has been published under No. 3.16 d) but not yet notified shall be deferred until both assignments have been notified. The Bureau shall then examine them in the order of their publication under the same number.	RR1501, 1506.1
	² 5.15 c) 2. The examination under No. 5.15 c) shall also take into account assignments for terrestrial services which are in use or which are to be brought into use within the next three years and have been communicated to the Bureau as a result of continuing disagreement in coordination.	RR1536
	d) with respect to its conformity with a world or regional allotment or assignment plan and their associated provisions; or	RR1245 (Note omission of general provisions relating to technical examinations)
	e) with respect to the probability of harmful interference that may be caused to or from other recorded assignments in respect of which the procedure for modification of the relevant Plan could not be successfully completed.	New provision to permit definitive treatment of a notice when the plan modification procedure of Article S10 can not be completed
	5.16 When the examination with respect to No. 5.15 a) leads to a favourable finding, the assignment shall be recorded in the Master Register or examined further with respect to No. 5.15 b) to e) as appropriate. When the finding with respect to No. 5.15 a) is unfavourable the assignment shall be recorded in the Master Register only if it includes a reference to [RR342], otherwise the notice shall be returned with an indication of the appropriate action.	Provisions 5.16 - 5.21 are a highly simplified version of the combined provisions of RR Article 12, Section II and Article 13, Section II

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	5.17 When the examination with respect to No. 5.15 b) leads to a favourable finding the assignment shall be recorded in the Master Register indicating the administrations with which the procedure for coordination or agreement has been completed. When the finding is unfavourable, the notice shall be returned to the notifying administration, with an indication of the appropriate action, if No. 5.15 c) does not apply. VGE Note 11	Provisions 5.16 - 5.21 are a highly simplified version of the combined provisions of RR Article 12, Section II and Article 13, Section II
	5.18 When the examination with respect to No. 5.15 c) leads to a favourable finding the assignment shall be recorded in the Master Register indicating the names of the administrations with which coordination was completed and those with which it was not completed but in respect of which the finding was favourable. When the finding is unfavourable the notice shall be returned with an indication of the appropriate action.	Provisions 5.16 - 5.21 are a highly simplified version of the combined provisions of RR Article 12, Section II and Article 13, Section II
	5.19 When the examination with respect to No. 5.15 d) leads to a favourable finding the assignment shall be recorded in the Master Register. When the finding is unfavourable the notice shall be returned to the notifying administration, with an indication of the appropriate action, if No. 5.15 e) does not apply. VGE Note 11	Provisions 5.16 - 5.21 are a highly simplified version of the combined provisions of RR Article 12, Section II and Article 13, Section II
	5.20 When the examination with respect to No. 5.15 e) leads to a favourable finding the assignment shall be recorded in the Master Register. When the finding is unfavourable the notice shall be returned with an indication of the appropriate action.	Provisions 5.16 - 5.21 are a highly simplified version of the combined provisions of RR Article 12, Section II and Article 13, Section II

VGE Note 11 In the case of Nos. 5.17 and 5.19, reference to "appropriate action" will lead the administration back to the coordination procedure in Article S9, or the procedure for modification of a plan in Article 4 both of which contain provisions of technical examination of interference if those procedures can not be successfully completed.

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	5.21 After the return of notice under No. 5.18 or 5.20, should the notifying administration resubmit the notice and insist upon its reconsideration, the Bureau shall enter the assignment provisionally in the Master Register with an indication of those administrations whose assignments were the basis of the unfavourable finding. However, the entry shall be retained in the Master Register only if the Bureau is informed that the new assignment has been in use together with the assignment which was the basis for the unfavourable finding for at least four months without any complaint of harmful interference being made (see Nos. 5.27 and 5.29). If harmful interference is actually caused, the administration responsible for the frequency assignment must on receipt of advice, eliminate the interference.	RR1254, 1255, 1544, 1556
	5.22 Should harmful interference be caused by an assignment recorded under No. 5.21 to any assignment recorded with a favourable finding with respect to 5.15 b) or 5.15 c), the station using the former frequency assignment shall, upon receipt of advice thereof, immediately eliminate this harmful interference.	RR1559
	5.23 In every case when a new assignment is recorded in the Master Register it shall, in accordance with the provisions of Article S8 of this Chapter, include an indication of the finding and of the consequent status of the assignment. This information shall also be published in the Weekly Circular.	New provision related to Article 2, No. 2.1 of the simplified procedures
	5.24 The notified date of bringing into use of an assignment ¹ in a satellite network shall be no later than six years following the date of publication of the relevant Weekly Circular containing the data for advance publication. The notified date of bringing into use will be extended at the request of the notifying administration by not more than three years.	RR1042 and 1550
	¹ 5.24.1 The notified date of bringing into use of an assignment, when recorded in the Master Register shall be for information only.	RR 1418, 1558
	5.25 The notified date of bringing into use of an assignment to ¹ a terrestrial station will be extended at the request of the notifying administration by not more than six months.	RR1308, 1374

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	¹ 5.25.1 The notified date of bringing into use of an assignment, when recorded in the Master Register shall be for information only.	RR 1418, 1558
	5.26 In applying the provisions of this Article any resubmitted notice which is received by the Bureau more than six months after the date of return by the Bureau of the original notice shall be considered to be a new notice. VGE Note 10	RR1309, 1380, 1551
	5.27 All frequency assignments notified in advance of their being brought into use shall be entered provisionally in the Master Register. Within thirty days of such an assignment being brought into use the notifying administration shall so inform the Bureau. If the Bureau does not receive that confirmation within the above period it shall cancel the entry. The Bureau shall however consult the administration concerned before taking such action. In the absence of a reply the matter should be referred to the Board.	RR1311 - 1313, 1553 - 1555
	5.28 If after the expiry of the period of six years plus the extension mentioned in No. 5.24 from the date of publication of the relevant Weekly Circular, the administration responsible for the network has not submitted the Appendix S4 information for coordination under No. 3.4 or for notification under No. 5.2, as appropriate, the information published under No. 3.1 shall be cancelled after the administration concerned had been informed.	RR1056A
	5.29 Where the use of a recorded assignment to a space station is suspended for a period not exceeding eighteen months, the notifying administration shall, as soon as possible, inform the Bureau of the date on which such use was suspended and of the date on which the assignment is to be brought back into regular use. This latter date shall not exceed two years from the date of suspension.	RR1570

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	ARTICLE S12	
	Planning and Procedure for the Bands Allocated Exclusively to the Broadcasting Service Between 5 950 kHz and 26 100 kHz	
	Section I. Introduction	
	6.1 When applying the procedure of this Article administrations are urged to comply to the maximum possible extent with the principles contained in Section II of this Article. VGE Note 12	RR1736
	Section II. Planning Principles	
	6.2 (1) The planning of the high frequency bands allocated to the broadcasting service shall be based on the principle of equal rights of all countries, large or small, to equitable access to these bands. In planning, an attempt shall also be made to achieve efficient use of these frequency bands, account being taken of the technical and economic constraints that may exist in certain cases. On the basis of the foregoing, the following planning principles shall be applied.	RR1737

VGE Note 12 The VGE has noted Resolution 9 of the APP-92 requesting the Radiocommunication Assembly (WRC-93), inter alia, "to establish the work programme and the Study Groups of the Radiocommunication Sector, including any future work on HF Broadcasting, taking account of any IFRB report on the application of Resolution 523 of the WARC-92." Upon the assumption that this will lead to longer term action by the Union, the scope for action by the VGE to simplify the present Article 17 of the Radio Regulations relating to HFBC is necessarily limited.

The VGE has therefore limited its action to the "Consultation Procedure" in Sections IV to VIII of Article 17, leaving it to the WRC-95 to decide upon Sections I to III, which contain principles and other material relating to the planning of HFBC. Within these limitations the VGE proposes only that the number of seasons each year be reduced from four to two; that the prior coordination of schedules be encouraged but without disadvantage to uncoordinated schedules; that as a result of the reduced number of incompatibilities the technical work of the Bureau can be reduced; and that as an economy measure the publication of the "Final Schedule" can be abandoned, using the Weekly Circular to update the "Tentative Schedule". The results of this work are condensed in the draft of Article S12.

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	(2) All the broadcasting requirements, current or future, formulated by the administrations, shall be taken into account and be treated on an equitable basis, so as to guarantee the equality of rights referred to in [No. 1737], and to enable each administration to provide a satisfactory service.	RR1738
	(3) All broadcasting requirements, national ¹ and international, shall be treated on an equal basis, with due consideration of the differences between these two kinds of broadcasting requirements.	RR1739
	¹ An HF broadcasting use is considered as being for the purposes of national coverage when the transmitting station and its associated required service area are both located within the territory of the same country.	RR1739.1
	(4) In the planning procedure, an attempt shall be made to ensure, as far as practicable, continuity of use of a frequency or of a frequency band. However, such continuity should not prevent equal and technically optimum treatment of all broadcasting requirements.	RR1740
	(5) The periodical planning procedure shall be based solely on the broadcasting requirements expected to become operational during the planning period. It shall furthermore be flexible in order to take into account new broadcasting requirements and modifications to the existing broadcasting requirements.	RR1741
	(6) The planning procedure shall be based on double-sideband emissions. Single-sideband emissions which administrations might wish to make may, however, be permitted in place of planned double-sideband emissions, provided that the level of interference caused to double-sideband emissions is not increased.	RR1742
	(7) For efficient spectrum use, only one frequency should be used, whenever possible, to meet a given broadcasting requirement in a given required service area; in any case the number of frequencies used will be the minimum necessary to provide a specified quality of reception.	RR1743

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	(8) Those broadcasting requirements for which the agreed minimum usable field strength is not ensured at any point of the required service area, through lack of the requisite technical facilities, can obtain proportionally reduced protection against interference.	RR1744
	(9) In the first stage of the equitable application of a new planning procedure, an attempt will be made to include the maximum number of submitted requirements achieving the desired quality level. The remaining requirements will be processed on the understanding that lower quality levels would be acceptable.	RR1745
	(10) The planning method shall satisfy, on an equal basis, a minimum of the broadcasting requirements submitted by administrations with the desired performance. Special consideration shall be given to the requirements of administrations which, in the first instance, are unable to achieve this performance.	RR1746
	Section III. Planning System	
	6.3 The Planning System developed in accordance with the principles set out in Section II of this Article and the decisions of the World Administrative Radio Conference for the Planning of the HF Bands Allocated to the Broadcasting Service (Geneva, 1987), shall be improved and tested in accordance with the instructions contained in Resolution 511 (HFBC-87) for adoption, if acceptable to a competent world administrative radio conference.	RR1747
	Section IV. Consultation Procedure	
	6.4 Twice yearly administrations shall submit their projected seasonal broadcasting schedules in the relevant frequency bands to the Bureau. Those schedules shall cover the following seasons and shall be implemented at 0100 UTC on the first Sunday of each period concerned: a) March schedule - March to August inclusive; b) September schedule - September to February inclusive.	RR1748 and result of a VGE Recommendation to reduce the present four seasons per year to only two subject to optional retention of four seasons for national use within the two season structure

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	<p>6.5 Administrations may, if they wish, maintain four periods for their annual patterns of broadcasting, but are urged to do so within the periods indicated below, provided that this is made clear in their projected schedules at the time of their submission to the Bureau. These schedules shall be implemented at 0001 UTC on the first Sunday of each period concerned:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) March Schedule - March and April b) May Schedule - May, June, July and August c) September Schedule - September and October d) November Schedule - November, December, January and February. 	RR1748 and result of a VGE Recommendation to reduce the present four seasons per year to only two subject to optional retention of four seasons for national use within the two season structure
	6.6 Administrations may include in their schedules assignments up to one year in advance of their use provided that the characteristics are not expected to change during that period.	RR1749
	6.7 The frequencies in the schedules should be those that will be used during the season concerned, and they should be the minimum number required to provide satisfactory reception of the programmes in each of the areas and for each of the periods intended. To the maximum possible extent in each schedule the frequencies to be used in each reception area should be repeated from season to season.	RR1751
	6.8 Administrations are encouraged to coordinate their schedules with other administrations as far as possible prior to submission. An administration may submit on behalf of a group of administrations their coordinated schedules the frequencies of which shall however have no priority for use over those submitted by other administrations.	Extension of RR1750 subject to safeguards
	6.9 The closing dates for receipt by the Bureau of the schedules relating to the two seasons mentioned in No. 6.4 and the four seasons mentioned in No. 6.5 shall be established and published by the Bureau.	RR1749

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	6.10 The schedules shall be submitted with the relevant data contained in Appendix S4 in accordance with the practices recommended in the Rules of Procedure.	RR1752 (Note: RR1753 omitted, being self-evident)
	6.11 Upon receipt of the schedules the Bureau shall, in accordance with the Rules of Procedure, consolidate them, validate the data where necessary, identify such incompatibilities as it may be able, and prepare the High Frequency Broadcasting Schedule (the Schedule). This Schedule shall include all assignments where administrations gave no alternatives, the selections made by the Bureau from any alternatives given, and the frequencies selected by the Bureau in cases where the need for its assistance was indicated by their intentional omission from the individual schedules.	Consolidation/simplification of RR1754 - 1759
	6.12 The Schedule shall be published at least two months before the start of each of the two seasons in No. 6.4.	RR1760
	6.13 Administrations should consider the Schedule and, before or during the season, they should, as quickly as possible, inform the Bureau of any changes they intend to make from their original submissions and the reasons for those changes. The Bureau shall publish this information regularly and update the Schedule as appropriate.	Simplification of RR1763, 1764
	6.14 After each season the Bureau shall consult the administrations concerned, the actual frequencies used and shall periodically publish its results to administrations.	Simplification of RR1766 - 1768
	6.15 In a case of harmful interference, involving the application of the provisions of Article S15, administrations are urged to exercise the utmost goodwill and mutual cooperating taking into account all the relevant technical and operational factors of the case.	RR1772, 1943, 1944

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	ARTICLE S13	
	Instructions to the Bureau	
	Section I. Assistance to Administrations by the Bureau	
	<p>7.1 When an administration has difficulty in the application of the procedures of Articles S9 and S10 the Bureau shall upon request endeavour to assist in cases where:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) there is disagreement about the level of interference that may result from a proposed modification of a plan or from a request for coordination; or b) agreement to a proposed modification of a plan or a decision on a request for coordination cannot be attained for any other reason; or c) a special study of the case is required. 	<p>The following comments apply to the whole of Section I of Article S13:</p> <p>The provisions of this Section are a synthesis of very many RR provisions and are intended to augment the general statement in Article S7, No. 1.6</p>
	<p>7.2 When an administration in need of special assistance requests the assistance of the Bureau, under No. 5.8, in selecting frequencies for the operation of its radiocommunication services in the high frequency bands allocated to the fixed service, the Bureau shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) using such information as is available to it, provisionally select a group of frequencies and publish them for comment in the Weekly Circular; b) on the basis of any comments received, finalize its selections and communicate them to the requesting administration; c) for those that are accepted, enter them in the Master Register with an indication that they have been coordinated by those means and shall have the status indicated in No. 2.2. 	<p>Provision No. 7.2 is intended as a replacement for RR1218 and directly related RR texts</p>
	<p>7.3 When an administration has difficulty in resolving a case of harmful interference and seeks the assistance of the Bureau the latter shall, as appropriate, help in identifying the source of the interference and seek the cooperation of the responsible administration in resolving the matter and prepare for consideration by the Board a report including draft recommendations to the administrations concerned.</p>	<p>CV173</p>

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	7.4 When an administration so requests the Bureau shall, using such means at its disposal as are appropriate in the circumstances, conduct a study of reported cases of alleged contravention or non-observance of these Regulations and shall prepare a report for consideration by the Board including draft recommendations to the administrations concerned.	CV173
	Section II. Maintenance of the Master Register by the Bureau	
	8.1 The Bureau shall be solely responsible for maintenance of the Master Register in accordance with the Rules of Procedure and shall in particular:	General statement based on CV172
	a) following consultation with administrations, from time to time make any necessary adjustments to the format, structure and presentation of data in the Master Register;	New text to facilitate future improvements
	b) periodically, in consultation with administrations, take action to review and improve the accuracy of sections of the Master Register by verifying that the recorded assignments have been brought into regular operation and are being used in accordance with the notified basic characteristics; ¹	RR1513, 1571, 1574
	¹ 8.1 b) 1. Whenever the Bureau concludes, as a result of an enquiry with the administration concerned, that an assignment to a space or an earth station was not in use during a period exceeding two years, this assignment shall no longer be taken into account for the application of the procedures of Articles S9 and S11. The procedures of this Chapter shall apply from the date on which it is to be brought back into use;	RR1513, 1571
	c) enter in the Master Register and publish in the Preface to the International Frequency List (the IFL) all frequencies prescribed by these Regulations for common use;	Extension of RR1220 and 2184
	d) make appropriate entries in the Master Register resulting from its examinations of notices of frequency assignments in accordance with the Rules of Procedure;	Based on CV172; RR992 and 993, 1557
	e) maintain and periodically update the Preface to the IFL.	New provision recognising the importance of the Preface to the International Frequency List

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	8.2 The Bureau shall also compile, for publication by the Secretary-General in the form of the IFL, comprehensive listings of the entries extracted from the Master Register and such other extracts as may periodically be required.	RR995
	Section III. Maintenance of the Rules of Procedure by the Bureau	
	9.1 The Board shall approve a set of Rules of Procedure to govern its own activities and those of the Radiocommunication Bureau in the application of the Radio Regulations, to ensure the impartial, accurate and consistent processing of notices of frequency assignments and to assist in the application of these Regulations.	Based on CS95
	9.2 The Rules of Procedure shall include, inter alia, calculation methods and other data required for the application of these Regulations. These shall be based upon the decisions of world radiocommunication conferences and the recommendations of the Radiocommunication Sector. Where requirements arise for new data for which there are no such decisions or recommendations the Bureau shall develop it in accordance with Nos. 9.3 and 9.4, and shall revise it when appropriate decisions or recommendations are available.	Based on CS95; RR1454 and 1582
	9.3 The Bureau shall when appropriate prepare draft modifications or additions to the Rules of Procedure which shall be published for comment by administrations before being submitted to the Board.	Based on CV168; RR1001.1 and Resolution 35
	9.4 The Bureau shall submit to the Board the final drafts of all proposed changes to the Rules of Procedure, together with any comments received from administrations which have not been taken fully into account and the Bureau's recommendations thereon. The Rules of Procedure approved by the Board shall be published and shall be open for comments by administrations. In case of continuing disagreement the matter shall be submitted to a forthcoming WRC. The Director of the Bureau shall also inform the appropriate Study Group(s) of this matter.	Based on CV169; RR1001.1 and Resolution 35 CS95

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	9.5 If an administration or the Board or the Bureau identifies a need for a special study, in relation to the Rules of Procedure, of any provisions of the Radio Regulations or of a regional agreement with an associated frequency allotment or assignment plan, the case shall be handled under Nos. 9.3 and 9.4. The same shall apply if as a consequence of the review of a finding or other action by the Board it is necessary to re-examine the Rules of Procedure.	Based on CV177; RR997
	9.6 The Rules of Procedure shall be maintained and published in a form that will facilitate easy modification and maximize their value to administrations and other users.	Self-evident requirement for this text

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	ARTICLE S14	
	Procedure for the Review of a Finding or Other Decision of the Bureau	<u>The following Comments apply to the whole of Article S14:</u>
	10.1 Any administration may request a review of a finding, or of the results of a special study under these Regulations or under a regional agreement and plan, or of any other decision of the Bureau.	The VGE recommended adoption of a "review procedure" relating to the findings and other decisions of the Bureau, thus extending the provisions of RR1001.1 and Resolution 35. CV171 provides the essential statutory basis for such a procedure. The text of this new Article 10 reflects the VGE recommendation. No. 10.6 specifically reflects the majority provisions for the Board contained in CV146.
	10.2 For this purpose the administration concerned shall send to the Bureau the request for a review; it shall also cite the relevant provisions of the Radio Regulations and other references and shall state the redress or other action it seeks.	
	10.3 The Bureau shall promptly acknowledge receipt of the request and shall, having regard to the Rules of Procedure, forthwith consider the matter. Thereafter, every effort shall be made with the administration concerned to resolve the matter without adversely affecting the interests of other administrations.	
	10.4 If the outcome of the review successfully resolves the matter with the requesting administration without adversely affecting the interests of other administrations, the Bureau shall publish an outline of the review, the arguments, the settlement and any implications affecting other administrations for the information of all members of the Union.	
	10.5 If the review does not successfully resolve the matter, or if it would adversely affect the interests of other administrations, the Bureau shall prepare a report and send it in advance to the administration which requested the review and to any others concerned to enable them, if they so desire, to address the Board. The Bureau shall then send the report with all supporting documentation to the Board.	

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	10.6 The decision of the Board on the review to be taken in accordance with the Convention, shall be regarded as final in so far as the Bureau and the Board are concerned. That decision with the supporting information shall be published as under No. 10.4. However, if the administration which requested the review disagrees with the decision of the Board it may raise the matter at a world radiocommunication conference.	CV146
	10.7 The Bureau shall then initiate all other necessary action upon the decision of the Board.	Necessary consequential action
	10.8 The Rules of Procedure of the Radio Regulations Board and the minutes of its meetings shall be published and circulated among the Members of the Union by means of Circular-letters of the Bureau.	RR1012 and 1016
	10.9 A copy of all documents of the Board, including its minutes, shall be available for public inspection in the offices of the Bureau.	RR1016

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CHAPTER SIV

MOD

~~Measures Against Interference~~

(MOD)

ARTICLE ~~18~~15

NOC

Interference

SUP

1798

Reasons: This provision is moved to the beginning of Section VI of this Article (Article 22 of the present RR).

NOC

Section I. Interference from Radio Stations

MOD

1799

§ 21. All stations are forbidden to carry out: unnecessary transmissions, or the transmission of superfluous signals, or the transmission of false or misleading signals, or the transmission of signals without identification (except as provided for in Article 25).

Reasons: Simplification by combining the provisions of RR 1799 to 1803.

SUP

1800
to
1803

MOD

1804

§ 32. ~~All~~Transmitting stations shall radiate only as much power as is necessary to ensure a satisfactory service.

Reasons: The provision obviously applies only to transmitting stations.

MOD

1805

§ 43. In order to avoid interference (see also Article 5 and No. 2612):

NOC

1806

a) locations of transmitting stations and, where the nature of the service permits, locations of receiving stations shall be selected with particular care;

(MOD)

1807

b) radiation in and reception from unnecessary directions shall be minimized by taking the maximum practical advantage of the properties of directional antennae whenever the nature of the service permits;

NOC

1808
to
1811

(MOD) 1812 § 7-6. The out-of-band emissions of transmitting stations should not cause harmful interference to services which operate in adjacent bands in accordance with these Regulations and which use receivers in conformity with Nos. 301, 309, 310, 311 and relevant CCIRITU-R Recommendations.

NOC 1813

NOC **Section II. Interference from Electrical Apparatus and Installations of any Kind Except Equipment Used for Industrial, Scientific and Medical Applications**

NOC 1814

NOC **Section III. Interference from Equipment Used for Industrial, Scientific and Medical Applications**

NOC 1815

(MOD) 1814.1 1 In this matter, administrations should be guided by the latest
1815.1 relevant CCIRITU-R Recommendations.

SUP **Section IV. ~~Special Cases of Interference~~**

SUP 1816

Reasons: Repetition of RR 444.

1817
to
1841

NOT allocated.

SUP **ARTICLE 19**

MOD **Section IV. Tests**

NOC 1842
to
1846
1847
to
1871

NOT allocated.